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THE B. C. Association for the Investigation of Spiritualism, will hold their Anniversary Social and dance in Harmony Hall, on Wednesday evening, March 26th. An excellent programme has been arranged. Supper will be provided by the ladies of the association.

Profs. Kaufman and Sharpe's orchestra has been engaged for the dance and a good time is expected.

Tickets admitting gentleman and lady $1.50.

N. B.—President Fell will deliver the anniversary address on Sunday evening, March 30. All are invited. m.e15

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EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Conservative Meeting at the Carlton Club.

Moberly Bell Appointed Manager of the London Times.

Bismarck's Resignation Regarded as the Most Important Event Since the Fall of the French Empire.

A CONSERVATIVE CAUCUS.

LONDON, March 18.—The unusual action of Lord Salisbury in summoning the supporters of the Conservative government to a meeting at the Carlton club on Thursday has given rise to much speculation as to the real reason for the step. Although the theories advanced are various, the one most generally accepted is that the incipient mutiny in the Tory ranks growing out of the Government's action with regard to the report of the special commission, has alarmed the ministry by its tendency to increase rather than subside, as it was hoped it would. Among the mollifying influences which will be brought to bear upon the Government followers by the premier and his colleagues are an Irish land purchase bill and a tithes bill, the details of which it is intended shall be discussed in caucus, and the conservative rank and file are to be given to understand that upon these measures the government, and of course the party, will stand or fall. The tide of liberalism which is now flowing so strongly that even the least indifferent tory cannot fail to see whither it must lead, will be used as another cudgel upon the heads of the kicking tories to bring them to a full realization of the certainty that an appeal to the country in the immediate future will result in depriving many of them of their seats.

BISMARCK'S RESIGNATION.

The resignation of Prince Bismarck is regarded in London as the most important event since the fall of the French Empire, and it is generally believed that a continenal war is now more than ever probable. The withdrawal from public life, and particularly because of his disagreement with the Emperor, of the man who above all others was instrumental in cementing the union of the German states into a vast empire, and who has since been foremost in maintaining the solidity of that union, is viewed in no other light than that of a European calamity, which the erratic conduct of the German Emperor since his succession to the throne serves to aggravate.

EMPRESS FREDERICK AVENGED.

The Star concludes it comments on Bismarck's resignation with the remark that Empress Frederick is now avenged; but whether upon the chancellor, or her son, or both, is not made clear by the writer.

THE "TIMES'" NEW MANAGER.

Moberly Bell has been appointed general manager of the London Times, as successor of the late Mr. Macdonald. Bell's despatches contributed in a powerful manner to bring about the state of affairs which led to the occupation of Egypt by Great Britain in 1882, and since then he has done his utmost through his correspondence to influence the British government to administer the government in a manner more conducive to the pecuniary interests of greedy bondholders than to those of either the English or Egyptian nation as a whole. Egyptian bonds previous to British occupation were 50 per cent. below par, whereas now they are above par. As Bell has been largely instrumental in bringing this state of affairs about, he necessarily had some claim on the bondholders—that is on Messrs. Rothschild,—and it is to this that his appointment as general manager of the Times must be attributed. It is an extraordinary nomination, for Bell has no administrative knowledge, no social rank or acquaintance, and no knowledge of European or English politics.

AN UNDERTAKER'S INDECORUM.

It is an old custom in England when a family is bereaved to send out memorial cards to intimate friends, but Minister Lincoln is not an Englishman and did not observe this custom after the death of his son. So H. L. Mills, undertaker for young Lincoln, decided to do it for him. While at Mr. Lincoln's house attending to the details of the funeral he got access to the visiting cards of callers there with messages of sympathy sent during the son's illness, which included nearly all the Americans in London. On Thursday these Americans were astonished to receive a brilliant blue card with a gilt band, announcing the death of Abraham Lincoln, also a conspicuous advertisement of Mills's undertaker's shop. All was made to appear as if sent by Lincoln. This was followed by an equally wide distribution of proof sheets of an extract from the Undertaker's Weekly Journal, notifying Americans in London that Mills, by reason of services as undertaker to James Russell Lowell when his wife died and to Lincoln, was the proper man for them to employ. Minister Lincoln is deeply distressed at Mills's conduct. Americans here are so indignant at his affrontery that so far as future custom is concerned Mills will not receive a single order from them.

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CAUTION.—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. Page Wood stated that Dr. J. Collis Browne was, undoubtedly, the inventor of Chlorodyne; that the story of the defendant Freeman was deliberately untrue, which, he regretted to say, had been sworn to.—See "The Times," July 13, 1864.

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CABLE NEWS.

Lord Salisbury's Threat to Dissolve Parliament.

General Caprivi Appointed to Succeed Bismarck.

Programme of the New French Ministry Announced — The English Strike Situation Grows Serious.

The New French Ministry's Programme.

PARIS, March 18.—The programme of the new French ministry announced in the chamber of deputies to-day, sets forth that the ministry will vigorously defend republican institutions and uphold the entire democratic work of its predecessors. "We shall," the announcement states, "welcome into the republican fold all well disposed men who will work for economic and social reform. We affirm our wish to place the customs regime upon a new basis, and await the expiration of the treaties of commerce in 1892 to fix new tariffs." The ministry also intends to demand the passage of measures for the more effectual protection of agricultural labor.

Germany's Gratitude.

BERLIN, March 18.—The National Zeitung says the gratitude toward the restorer of German unity, which is filling the hearts of Germans at this critical time, proves that Prince Bismarck will long be regarded as the personification of Germany's growth and prosperity, even though other men carry on his work. The Zeitung believes Count Herbert Bismarck will remain in office, and asserts that the Prussian ministry has not resigned as reported.

The Siberian Outrages.

LONDON, March 19.—The correspondent of the Daily News at St. Petersburg says the Russian government is very disagreeably impressed by the indignation meetings which have been held in England and America to protest against the alleged Siberian outrages. The Siberian correspondent sends details of the Irkutsk affair. The prisoners were suspected of complicity in an explosion at Zurich last March. They lived in perfect comfort at Irkutsk until the police discovered unmistakable evidence of treachery among them. The leaders were then sent to the mines, and those remaining were informed that their term of exile would be prolonged. The exiles then fortified themselves and waged war against the troops. The ringleader of the rioters was hanged.

Gen. Von Caprivi's Character.

LONDON, March 19.—The Times' correspondent at Berlin says he had an excellent chance to study Gen. Von Caprivi at the military maneuvres last autumn. In appointing him the Emperor decided to follow the idea of his father, Emperor Frederick, that a great general is the best conductor of a foreign policy, because he best knows how far he can go without an army behind him. There is said to be a remarkable likeness between Bismarck and Caprivi.

The Strike Situation.

LONDON, March 19.—The stagnation in many branches of industries, caused by the coal miners' strike, continues, and threatens to become worse. As the stock of fuel decreases, and the manufacturers cannot afford to pay the increased price for steam coal, unless the strike speedily settles the East Lancaster coal trade will meet with a severe check. Half of the mills at Acrington are at a standstill. In Nottinghamshire the men have resumed work in all the pits except a few. In North Wales the men still hold firm to their demands. Another meeting has been called by the mine-owners, at which it is thought a compromise will be effected. If the strike continues till the end of the week, 10,000 brick and terra-cotta workers will be thrown out of employment, as their stock of coal is already low.

The Conservative Caucus.

LONDON, March 19.—It is asserted upon unquestionable authority that at to-morrow's Conservative caucus at the Carlton Club Lord Salisbury will threaten to dissolve Parliament in case the Government's tithes and land purchase bills, to be discussed at the meeting, shall not be passed.

Count Bismarck's Resignation Accepted.

BERLIN, March 19.—The Tagblatt asserts that the resignation of Count Herbert Bismarck has been accepted by the Emperor, and says that Count Von Berchem, under secretary of state for foreign affairs, will probably be promoted to succeed him.

An Adverse Vote.

LONDON, March 18.—The government was defeated in the Commons to-night by the adoption of a motion offered by Thomas W. Buchanan (Gladstonian), complaining of encroachments upon public rights of way in Scotland and asking that the reform laws in regard to the matter be entrusted to the county councils. The motion was carried by 110 to 97. Chamberlain supported the motion.

Bismarck's Successor.

BERLIN, March 19.—The appointment of General Von Caprivi as chancellor of the German empire, to succeed Prince Bismarck, is announced.

Massacred by Natives.

BERLIN, March 19.—The announcement is officially made that a telegram received from the Congo country reports that ten natives and European agents, constituting the French post at Ubungus, have been massacred. The massacre is said to have been provoked by the abduction of the wife of a native chief by a European.

Devonshire Hurdle Race.

LONDON, March 19.—The Devonshire handicap hurdle race at Derby to-day was won by J. B. Barton's six-year-old bay gelding "Crownie." J. S. Oward's five-year-old, "Meldrum," was second; and H. Heasman's five-year-old, "Prince Frederick," third.

The Liverpool Dock Strike.

LIVERPOOL, March 19.—The dock laborers' strike is about over. The men are going back to work.

The New German Chancellor.

BERLIN, March 19.—The appointment of General Von Caprivi as chancellor of the empire is confirmed. The office will not, however, include the direction of the foreign ministry, as during Prince Bismarck's chancellorship. It is stated that Emperor William has intimated his attention to abolish the office of president of the Prussian ministry, which proposal Prince Bismarck stoutly opposed. The disagreement between the Emperor and Chancellor becoming wider, the Kaiser asked for another interview at 10 o'clock in the evening. To this request Prince Bismarck replied that he was too old a man to come at that hour. Shortly thereafter the Chancellor formally tendered his resignation. The Tagblatt says that the Emperor has dismissed Count Von Walderze from the command of the army.

Changes in the Berlin Ministry.

BERLIN, March 19.—It is announced that Herr Von Boetticher will become president of the Prussian ministry, and that Count Eulenberg, president of Hesse-Nassau, will succeed Von Boetticher as Imperial minister of the interior. Count Herbert Bismarck will be assigned to an ambassadorship. Ministers Herr Forth and Von Maybeck have resigned, the latter because he lost Prince Bismarck's support against increased demands for stragetic communications.

The Kaiser and His Chancellor.

LONDON, March 19.—A despatch from Berlin says the story that Prince Bismarck declined to visit the Emperor at his request at 10 o'clock in the evening, is refuted by the fact that the Kaiser visited the chancellor that very evening. The correspondent says that Prince Bismarck had not intended to resign as soon as he did, wishing to avoid creating the impression that the result of the elections had caused him to resign. It is understood that he had intended to make a great political speech on the occasion of the reopening of the Reichstag.

The Strike Situation Alarming.

LONDON, March 19.—Several more factories and mills at Accrington and Leeds have stopped running owing to lack of fuel. The situation growing out of the colliers strike is becoming alarming.

Coal Supply Cut off.

LONDON, March 19.—The Dundalk and Newry Packet Company announce the suspension of the trips of their Liverpool steamers in consequence of the strike of dock laborers and colliers, the latter cutting off the supply of coal.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The Erring Accountant.

TORONTO, March 18.—The grand jury found true bills against W. R. Moffat in all the charges of forgery preferred against him by the Ontario Bank, in which he was accountant. A bench warrant was issued for Moffat's arrest, and he was found after some difficulty hiding in the cellar of a saloon.

Toronto's Youth Did Not Offend.

TORONTO, March 18.—The reports which recently appeared in the press to the effect that at a state ball recently held here a number of young men imbibed too much wine, insulted the Lieut.-Governor, and otherwise behaved in such a disorderly manner that the police had to be called in, are entirely without foundation. The circulation of these reports has caused much indignation among the citizens.

The Fatal Air Hole.

CALGARY, March 18.—A young Englishman named Jas. Davis was drowned in the Bow river at Kananaskis yesterday by falling through an air hole in the ice.

A True Bill Against the Empire.

TORONTO, March 18.—At the assizes yesterday Judge McMahon directed the grand jury to bring in a true bill against the Empire in the libel suit brought against it at the instance of the Mail.

Loyal Irish Hearts are There.

TORONTO, March 18.—In his speech at the banquet of the Irish Protestant Benevolent Society last night, Prof. Goldwin Smith said it was greatly to be regretted that the Queen had not more frequently visited the green isle and cultivated that loyalty which he was assured there existed.

Arrested for Murder.

TORONTO, March 19.—James Onley, husband of Elizabeth Onley, who died under suspicious circumstances on Thursday, was, by order of the coroner's jury, who found him guilty of murder, taken into custody at an early hour this morning.

Another Colonist Party.

TORONTO, March 19.—The fourth colonist party of the season for Manitoba and the Northwest left here last night. There were about 350 passengers and three special trains of settlers and their effects.

The Hudson Bay Railroad.

WINNIPEG, March, 19.—A caucus of the local government supporters was held yesterday, and report says the government has decided to grant conditional aid to the Hudson Bay Railway to the amount of one million dollars.

The Ontario General Elections.

TORONTO, March 19.—The World this morning announced that the Ontario legislature will, according to what the government has given its followers to understand, dissolve on April 10th, but that it may be possibly a week later. The paper adds that June 17th is the date fixed for the general elections.

Embezzlement.

MONTREAL, March 19. — Alexander Shaw, head bookkeeper for the Canada Jute Co., has been arrested on a charge of the embezzlement of $7,000.

Manitoba Legislature.

WINNIPEG, Man., March 19.—A resolution praying that steps be taken by the Dominion Parliament to negotiate with the government of the United States, with a view of arriving at some agreement by which there should be unrestricted reciprocity in trade between the two countries, was unanimously carried in the Manitoba legislature today. The school bill passed its third reading, after an all night session, by a vote of 25 to 11.

PERSONAL.

Sheriff McMillan's health is improving.

S. J. Pitts returned from the Sound last evening.

B. Gordon, of Angus & Gordon, returned from the Sound last evening.

J. A. Russell, steamboat inspector, was a passenger by last night's steamer from the Sound.

Mrs. W. W. Buck, of Oregon City, arrived yesterday on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. S. D. Pope.

Frank Pixley, editor and proprietor of The Argonaut, and one of the best known writers of San Francisco, was at The Driard with his wife and family yesterday, and returned home this morning.

Paul E. Wirt's fountain pens, at T. N. HIBBEN & Co's.

Easter Cards, at T. N. HIBBEN & Co's.

Paul E. Wirt's fountain pens, at T. N. HIBBEN & Co's.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Heavy Storm.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—A heavy storm prevailed on the bay and at the entrance to the harbor yesterday. Few vessels arrived or departed. The wind blew at the rate of sixty miles an hour at one time. The steamer Umatilla from Victoria reported violent southeast storms the latter part of her voyage.

Obituary.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—John D. Tost, formerly of H. S. Crocker & Co., is dead.

Wires and Poles a Nuisance.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—Judge Levy decided this morning that street poles and wires are a nuisance, and the city can remove them.

The Striking Moulders.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19. — All night long the four foundries to which the eastern molders were taken on their arrival last evening were guarded by policemen and private watchmen. Inside, the shops resembled arsenals. The proprietors had expected violence from the strikers, but no trouble occurred. The new men, however, were disgusted with their condition. They were given supper inside the works, but were not allowed to leave them. Indignation cropped out in all quarters this morning. The men held consultations and condemned the proprietors for keeping them in confinement. A general desertion of the foundries resulted, all but six going out and joining the strikers. The latter are overjoyed at their victory. The foundrymen say they expected what has happened, but will import other men to take the places of the deserters.

Found Dead in Bed.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—John S. Hayer, ex-collector of this port, ex-State and ex-United States senator, was found dead in bed this morning. Death was the result of heart disease.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

BASEBALL.

A meeting of the Mayflowers will be held in Philharmonic Hall next Wednesday evening.

A preliminary meeting of the Maple Leafs was held in the parlors of the Burnes House last evening. Another meeting will be held on Friday evening.

THE OAR.

A San Francisco despatch of last evening says: Henry Peterson, champion oarsman of the Pacific Coast, has issued a challenge to Henry Henceman, of Stockton, for a three-mile race for $500 or $1,000 a side. He will allow Henceman a start of five seconds, or fifteen seconds at the finish; the race to come off within six weeks after signing articles.

WRESTLING.

Matsada Sorakichi, "the Jap," who has fully recovered from his late illness, is anxious to meet Quinn in a match to take place in Seattle. He says he will wrestle Quinn for all the money he can put up, and he also wants to vindicate himself before the public for the poor showing he made with Quinn while sick.

A despatch from San Francisco says: "McLeod, the wrestler, left here recently for Nanaimo, B. C., where he expected to meet W. H. Quinn and arrange a match. About the time McLeod left here, Quinn left Nanaimo for this city. When he reached here and was informed of McLeod's departure he immediately returned by steamer. When McLeod arrived at Nanaimo on being told a similar story, he started on his return trip to this city. Both are now on the ocean."

HERE AND THERE.

Prof. Foster's class is getting in fine form for the exhibition at Vancouver next Saturday.

Jake Kilrain went to Richburg on Monday to serve his sentence of two months.

The members of the Y. M. C. A. are forming a boating club and will put several good crews on the water this summer.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—For Oregon and Washington, fair weather, followed by rain in Washington; southwest winds; nearly stationary temperature.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Ontario Elections to Take Place June 17th.

First Steps Taken in the Rykert Investigation.

The Charges Against General Middleton —Orange Bill Read a Second Time in the Senate.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

OTTAWA, March 19.—The Orange bill was read a second time in the senate today by 32 to 20.

Taylor's anti-labor bill was read a second time and referred to a special committee to investigate.

Mr. Blake has suggested that the time has arrived when Canada should be directly represented at Washington.

It is understood the Ontario elections will be held June 17th.

A big delegation from Three Rivers interviewed Hon. Mr. Carling to urge that American cattle be allowed to enter Canada without restriction, and to be killed here. Mr. Carling received them courteously, but gave an emphatic refusal to their request.

The privileges on election committee met this morning and took the first steps in the Rykert investigation by appointing Mr. Girouard chairman, and granting leave to Rykert to have Hon. Wm. McDougall act as his counsel. The committee meets again on Friday to hear Rykert's evidence.

The committee met this morning to enquire into the charges against General Middleton. It was conclusively shown that General Middleton gave orders for the furs to be distributed. McDonald of Battleford gave evidence that D. Hayter received instructions from him to make up the furs into bales and ship them away.

MATRIMONIAL.

The Wedding of Mr. M. G. Drummond and Miss Ward Celebrated.

One of the very prettiest weddings ever celebrated in this city was the one witnessed in Christ church cathedral yesterday, when an immense throng, composed mainly of the gentler sex, gathered both within and at the doors of the sacred edifice to honor with their presence the union of Mr. Mortimer G. Drummond, of Chilcotin, and Miss Alice Lydia, eldest daughter of W. C. Ward, Esq., manager of the Bank of British Columbia.

The wedding party—the most fashionable that has been seen in the church for many, many months—filled the chancel, while every other section of the building was taken possession of by the deeply interested public.

Close upon 12:30 o'clock the bride entered the church on the arm of her father, who afterwards gave her away, and passed up the main aisle to the altar. She wore a dress of white Duchesse satin, with medici collar and long train; the petticoat was covered with point de gaze, and trimmed with orange blossoms. A tulle veil, fastened with diamond ornaments was worn, and the bride carried a magnificent bouquet of eucharis, lilies, orchids and maiden hair ferns, the gift of the bridegroom.

In the bridal procession were three bridesmaids—Miss Nelly and Miss Florence Ward, sisters of the bride, and Miss Eveline Ward, her cousin. The two latter, pretty little girls of some ten summers, were dressed in cream silk, with Liberty hats. Miss Nelly Ward, the first bridesmaid, was attired in a handsome costume of cream silk, the collar and revers being embroidered with gold, and wore a small bonnet trimmed with white heather. The bridesmaids also wore brooches, the gifts of the groom.

At the altar rail the groom was in waiting, supported by his friend, Lieut. Warrender, R.N., of H.M.S. Amphion. His Lordship the Bishop of Columbia performed the impressive ceremony, being assisted by Rev. Arthur Beanlands, and after the register had been duly signed the party left the church and were at once driven to Highwood, the residence of the bride's father, where they were entertained at breakfast. On the conclusion of the ceremony the inspiring strains of Mendelssohn's grand wedding march, played by the organist, Mr. George Pauline, blended with the merry peal of the chimes.

Late in the afternoon the newly married couple left for their honeymoon. Mrs. Drummond's traveling dress was of fawn cloth, trimmed with beaver, with a waistcoat of silver passementerie and bonnet to match.

The bridal presents formed a collection of rare beauty and value, as the following list will show:

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Baker, silver fish carvers; Dr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, silver salt cellars and spoons; Mrs. Davidson, cream jug and sugar bowl in silver stand; Florence Ward, silver sugar trays; Hon. Forbes Vernon, handsome diamond bracelet; Mr. and Mrs. Tye, silver soup ladle; Mr. and Mrs. Beanlands, silver fruit spoon; Mr. and Mrs. Eberts, biscuit barrel; W. A. Ward, decanters and straw stand; Edgar Marvin, E. Marvin, jr., and W. Marvin, handsome silver chatelay; Miss Powell, oxidized silver fruit stand; Mrs. T. W. Foster, six silver salt cellars; L. Crease, gold brooch; Mr. and Mrs. McCallum, gold brooch made of gold from the Selkirks; Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Ward, large silver dinner tray; Mrs. O'Reilly, large silver fruit spoon; Miss King, silver butter knife; Miss Beaven, silver cream jug; Sir M. B. Begbie, gold brooch with rubies, diamonds and pearls; Mr. and Mrs. James Dunsmuir, silver teaspoons; Frank Ward, gold bangle; Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, large silver water jug; Miss O'Reilly, large silver scent bottle; Colonel and Mrs. Prior, very handsome silver tray, jug and water goblet; quilt crocheted by Mrs. Esnouf and presented by her boy; Mr. and Mrs. Ridgway Wilson, silver tea strainer and sugar spoons; Mr. and Mrs. Snowden, silver butter knife and cheese knife; Constance and Gladys Ward, silver knife stands; Mr. and Mrs. Nesten Diggle (England), silver hand glass; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. R. Thomson, cheque; Mr. and Mrs. O'Reilly cheque; the bridegroom, dressing case mounted with gold, also a saddle; J. D. Pemberton, picture, Venetian Flower Girl; C. W. Ward, picture, "family group;" servants, mounted buffalo horns with looking glass; Mrs. Hanington, China tea service; Capt. and Mrs. Jemmett, album; Mrs. Janion, brass vase; Cyril, Horace and Victor Ward, water jug and glasses; Bishop of Columbia, traveling clock; Mrs. A. N. Richards, bronze vase; Miss Pemberton, Japanese vases; Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Johnston, Japanese vases; George D. Ward, bridle with silver bit; Mr. and Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake, handsome bronze clock; Col. and Mrs. Baker, photo stand; Mr. and Mrs. Justice Walkem, pedestal lamp; Miss Langley, pedestal lamp; Mr. and Mrs. H. Croft, piano lamp; Mrs. Hounslow, wall bracket; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Walker, bronze vases; Mr. Ransom, handsome Japanese table cover, Pennock & Clayton, oxidized silver punch bowl; Richard Drake, silver napkin ring; R. Proctor, silver napkin ring; Misses Drummond, silver bowls; Mr. E. B. Drummond, necklace and brooch; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Drummond, diamond bracelet; Mr. Drummond, sr., gold watch; Miss Nellie Ward, gold chain; Mrs. Rawlins, silver blotting pad; Mrs. Bright, diamond and pearl bangle; Miss E. Ward, crazy quilt; Mr. Troop, diamond and pearl ring; Mr. Gavin H. Burns, silver teaspoons and dinner tongs; Mr. W. H. Evans, silver pillar lamps, and many others presented by friends in England.

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THE BUDGET SPEECH AND ITS CRITICS.

The Provincial Treasurer's budget speech was a plain, clear and concise exposition of the financial condition of the Province. He did not, as some finance ministers find it convenient to do, hide his meaning under a cloud of words or bewilder his hearers with a formidable array of unnecessary figures. The hearer who was at all attentive and had any knowledge of the way in which the public accounts of the province are kept, could gain from what he said an accurate idea of the financial condition of the province; and the intelligent reader will peruse his speech with profit and will be certain to arrive at the conclusion that the Government has been careful in their expenditure of the public money and judiciously economical.

That impression will be deepened when he reads the criticisms on the budget speech by the Hon. Mr. Beaven and Mr. Grant. Anything weaker than the speeches of those two gentlemen can hardly be imagined. It is proverbially easy to find fault, but to judge by the labored but feeble speeches of the Leader of the Opposition and his lieutenant they must have found it the next thing to impossible to discover any weakness in the Government's administration of the provincial finances. Mr. Grant wasted a great deal of time in censuring the Provincial Treasurer for not being a prophet. It seemed to be an unpardonable sin in his eyes not to be able to foresee the number of persons who would purchase public lands. Ordinary people see but a very little way into the future, and persons that are at all prudent in their preparations do not calculate upon benefitting by windfalls. If windfalls come they are very welcome, and there are generally some way in which the money can be profitably expended. But to calculate upon unusual receipts is unsafe and unwise. They may not come, and the expenditure that is made with the expectation of their coming in may prove a very embarrassing liability. We think, therefore, that very few people will blame the Hon. Mr. Turner for not having calculated upon a very large sum in last year's estimates for land receipts. The principal thing for them to consider is, did he make a good use of the money when he did get it? His critics do not even hint that the money thus unexpectedly received was wasted or misappropriated in any way. If the Government had been extravagant, if they had made an imprudent use of the land receipts, the opposition critics would have quickly discovered it, and, as would be their duty, have promptly taken the Government to task for having squandered the peoples' money. But they make no such charge. It is fair therefore to conclude that they, after the closest and most careful examination of the public accounts, have not been able to discover that the Government have been either careless or imprudent stewards. As to whether Mr. Turner was or was not mathematically accurate in his calculations last year as to the sum he was to receive or even as to the amount of his expenditure, the great bulk of the taxpayers will not give the matter a second thought. What they want are honest and careful administrators. They don't expect to get prophets as public servants. The Opposition critics virtually admit that in their management of the provincial revenue the present Government have been both honest and careful.

We are a little surprised that Mr. John Grant, M. P. P. for Cassiar, should have made any allusion to civic affairs in his speech. Such an allusion suggested comparisons not at all to the credit of Mr. John Grant, Mayor of the city of Victoria. Mr. John Grant, in the Legislative Assembly criticizing the budget speech, which he had to admit was a full and clear exposition of the finance of the province, posed as a prudent and far-seeing financier, who was bound to see that the Government gave an exact account for every cent they had received from the people. As the guardian of the people's money he was watchful and severe, condemning the Provincial Treasurer for not calculating beforehand, almost to the dollar, what he was to receive and what he was to spend. Mr. John Grant, as Mayor of Victoria, is the most jaunty and, we must add, the most reckless of administrators. He aids in spending the money of the citizens in the most profuse manner, and when questions are asked him in the name of the ratepayers respecting the disposition which he and the body over which he presides have made of the taxes they have received and the loans they have been entrusted with, he declines to answer or formally to acknowledge his and their responsibility. When asked to draw up a statement such as that which the Hon. Mr. Turner made on Tuesday, as a matter of course, his only reply is an irrelevent letter throwing the blame of mismanagement on to the shoulders of the councillors, and a frivolous remark about the way in which he directed the money received by the city to be placed in the bank. The mayor, who refused to give an account of the way in which he and the members of the council to which he belongs administered the finances of the city when grave charges of mismanagement were preferred against them is hardly the man in his capacity of member of the Legislative Assembly to call the Government of the Province to give a strict account as to what had been done with the money entrusted to them by the people. The contrast between the way in which he and the rest of the corporation acted when they were asked to explain what they did with the people's money and the course pursued by the Provincial Government is so glaring that we wonder that Mr. Grant had the effrontery to allude to the city council in his criticism on the budget speech. The Hon. Mr. Turner had done voluntary in the ordinary course of his duty what Mayor Grant and his Council had deliberately refused to do when their management of the city's finances was publicly called in question by persons who had a right to demand of them an account of their stewardship. Mr. Grant, the critic, was in every respect the direct opposite of Mr. Grant the administrator.

The Hon. Mr. Beaven should know by this time that vituperation is not criticism. Unqualified condemnation is often the last resort of conscious weakness. None are more ready violently to accuse those whom they dislike than men who are advanced many stages towards imbecility. Debaters who feel that they can prove what they advance are not prone to deal in superlatives. When Mr. Beaven said that "language could not express his contempt for a Government" conducted as the present Government is conducted, everyone knows that he was talking utter nonsense, and nonsense, too, that is palpable insincere. The leader of the Opposition shows every day that he does not regard the Government with a contempt that is inexpressible. In fact his actions show that he respects the Government so much that he feels all his attempts to discredit it are hopeless. He knows—no one better—that it is administering the affairs of the province wisely and to the satisfaction of its inhabitants. He sees that the accusations which he and others have preferred against it cannot be proved, that every attempt to injure it in the estimation of the people results in covering its accusers and vilifiers with confusion. He himself had an opportunity of exposing what he regards as the misdeeds of the Government not long ago in this city, and the weakness of his charges and his failure to make them good, weak and even frivolous as they were, disappointed and disgusted even his own friends and admirers. For Mr. Beaven to pretend to despise a Government on which his best prepared attacks can make no impression is so transparently insincere that he cannot expect to be believed by either friends or foes. Take from his criticism of the budget speech its virulence, its acerbity, its false accusations, its unsupported statements and its irrelevent passages, and what is there left? Simply nothing that any sensible man would care to hear, or that would influence him in the slightest degree.

BISMARCK'S RESIGNATION.

The resignation of Bismarck was not altogether unexpected. He has had differences with the Emperor which have for some time been leading to the crisis marked by the Great Chancellor resigning the office he had held so long. The relations between the Emperor and his Prime Minister were delicate before the late election. His resignation was then every day expected. The breach was bridged once; but, as the event has shown, the structure was a temporary one, and the man who has been so long the virtual ruler of Germany and the dictator of Europe has at last returned to private life. What the result will be no one can even conjecture. "Prince Bismarck," the London Standard said on one of the last days in February, "has been too long a guiding and a steadying force in the politics of Europe to render it possible to regard any diminution of his authority, any sign of retreat from the commanding station he occupies, without a feeling of anxiety. . . . His services have been so conspicuous, his abilities are so transcendent, his hold upon the affections and respect of his fellow country-men is so close, that it would not be astonishing if he declined to subordinate his judgment to that of a young Monarch who was a child while Austria was being humbled at Sadowa, and France crushed at Metz and Sedan."

What the Standard foresaw has come to pass. The man of blood and iron has refused to subordinate his opinion of what is best for Germany to the views of the young and inexperienced Emperor.

It may be easily understood that the young Emperor parted with the faithful servant of his grandfather and his father, the man who made Germany what it is, and who gave the sovereigns whom he served the greatness which they attained, with extreme reluctance. It is said that he more than once appealed to the Chancellor's patriotism in order to induce him to remain in office, and the appeal was successful. But the time came when Bismarck saw that his duty to his country required him to resign his office, and he obeyed the call of what he considered duty. It appears that the cause of the disagreement between the Emperor and the Chancellor is the policy which the Emperor seems determined to pursue with respect to socialism. It can easily be understood that Bismarck would strenuously oppose a policy of conciliation. He would regard it as a weakness almost criminal even to listen to the demands of those whom he regards as the enemies of society. The convening of the International Labor Congress cannot have met with the approval of Bismarck. He would, according to his lights, treat the workmen well, but they they must accept what it pleases him voluntarily to give. He would never yield anything to their demands.

It is whispered that the course which the Emperor has entered upon was suggested by his wife, who, it is said, takes her stand on purely Christian grounds. This is a singular change of counsellors. To prefer the advice of a woman who, as far as the world knows, is remarkable for nothing in particular, to that of the greatest statesman of the age—a man who has built up an empire, and who for nearly half a century has influenced the policy of every nation in Europe, is a most extraordinary choice. Will its wisdom be vindicated by the result? Who knows?

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

THE state of the labor market in England may be inferred from the following statistics taken from the Board of Trade Journal:

"In November last there were no fewer than 92 strikes, in December the number had fallen to 57, but last month it rose to 85. Some of these disputes were of considerable importance, and affected a large number of workers. Notwithstanding their occurrence, however, the number of unemployed was reduced during January by 580 men. The proportion of unemployed per cent. in this month was 1·44, for December it was 1·75, while for the corresponding month of last year it was 3·1, and in February of 1888 it was 7·8. In the shipbuilding trade not one in each hundred of the men is out of work at present, the current proportion being about 9 per 1000. Almost equally prosperous are all the branches of the engineering trade, which has not been so well employed since 1873. Despite the earliness of the season, the building trades are showing signs of improvement. In the steel, iron, and coal industries work is plentiful. The textile trades are moderately employed, but are stationary. The printing and book trades are also fairly busy." In the textile trades alone about 900,000 operatives were employed in 1885. The average weekly wages earned in that year by men in the cotton industries amounted to 25s 3d, in the woollen industries the sum was 23s 2d, in the worsted industries 23s 4d, and in the linen industries 19s 9d. In explanation of the lower wages received in the linen trade, it is remarked that "linen is largely a Scottish and Irish industry, and even in England it is carried on largely in country districts, and not so much in large manufacturing centres as the other industries with which it is here compared. The earnings are accordingly less on the average than in the other leading textile trades, which are carried on more largely in large towns or in the central localities of Lancashire and Yorkshire."

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

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A. W. JONES. my9-1yr

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."
Lots 3 and 16 of Part of Section LXXVI., Victoria District.

WHEREAS, the Certificate of Title of Frederick Whatley Wood to the above lots, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1862, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate.
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ANDREW GRAY,
Assignees of the Estate.
Victoria, B. C., 12th March, 1890. mc13

NOTICE.

Messrs. Crane, McGregor & Boggs, of Broad St., Victoria, have this day been appointed the agents of The Citizens Insurance Company of Canada, for Vancouver Island, and are the only persons entitled to receive premiums due to the said Company and transact their business on said Island.
Mr. E. A. Hart is no longer in the service of this Company.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., 21st February, 1890.
The Citizens Insurance Co. of Canada.
By their duly authorized agent.
H. ABBOTT. fy22-1m

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby notified not to deposit Ashes or any Refuse Matter on or over the bank in the vicinity of the public highway between Beacon Hill and Ross Bay. Any person convicted of so doing will be punished as the law directs.
F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C., 27th Feb. 1890. m1

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that lands lying within the Moodyville Saw Mill Company's timber limits, which are situated on the north side of Burrard Inlet, are not open to purchase or pre-emption, and all persons are warned against squatting upon or otherwise dealing with said lands.
F. G. VERNON,
Chief Com. of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 17th March, 1890. m18

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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

Fifth Parliament—Fourth Session.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY.

WEDNESDAY, March 19th.

The Speaker took the chair at 2:10 p.m.

Prayers by Rev. Dr. Reid.

B. C. SOUTHERN.

Hon. Mr. Robson presented a return of correspondence, etc., connected with the B. C. Southern Railway.

PETITION.

Mr. Haslam laid before the House the petition of 1,500 coal miners of British Columbia, requesting that the employment of Chinese in the underground works be prohibited by law.

The petition of Eli Hallet and other workmen of Victoria, in reference to the Chinese question was read and ordered printed.

MINING MACHINERY.

Hon. Mr. Robson moved the following resolution: "Whereas, much of the machinery required for the successful treatment of the refractory ores of this province is not at present manufactured in Canada; and whereas, the import duty of 30 per cent., when added to the great cost of transporting heavy machinery to the mines, is calculated to paralyze the chief mining industry of the country; be it therefore resolved, that a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, requesting His Honor to urge upon the Dominion government the importance and necessity of admitting free of duty all such mining machinery as is not now successfully manufactured in Canada."

The hon. premier said that he was quite aware that similar resolutions had been passed once or twice before by this House, but he considered that this was an opportune time to again present it, as British Columbia's representatives at Ottawa were just now making a strong push to have the duty removed. The resolution if passed unanimously might have the effect of turning the scale in favor of the province. A year or two ago the provincial government had had occasion to import a certain special piece of machinery from California for the reduction works, which was never manufactured or attempted to be manufactured in Canada. The government applied to the Federal government for a remission of duty on this piece of machinery and after long delay an order-in-council was passed granting the rebate. It had not been received, however, as the Minister of Customs still refused to admit that parts of the machinery—the nuts and bolts possibly—could not be turned out in Canada. The Dominion government should see that by making the concession desired by the province they were promoting Dominion even more than provincial interests. Even if as good machinery could be manufactured in eastern Canada, the geographical position of British Columbia was such that it would be more advantageous to buy from California, which was a nearer neighbor. California was an old mining country, experienced and fully understanding the requirements of a mining district; it was no reflection on the Dominion or Dominion manufacturers to ask that the duty be removed until the necessary apparatus for quartz mining could be procured equally advantageously in the country. He (Hon. Mr. Robson) was heartily astonished that the Dominion Government should meet quartz mining at the door, and catch it by the throat with the demand of 30 per cent. import duty.

Mr. Mason, in seconding the resolution, said that this was the third time that a resolution of this kind had been before the House; twice it had been introduced by himself, and now it was presented by the hon. leader of the government. He was pleased to see the hon. premier moving in this matter; it showed that he was keenly alive to the interests of the province, and this resolution being brought forward by him should convince the Dominion Government of the great necessity existing for acceding to the wishes of this House. It would certainly be evident to many that the heads of the revenue department and of the Dominion Government were very short sighted or they would not so tenaciously exact their pound of flesh in this particular. Those who were acquainted with the history of the Pacific coast knew that there was nothing that so rapidly attracted population or so quickly developed in every direction the different resources and industries of a district as successful gold mining operations, which increased the revenue in many channels an hundredfold. It had been said that this class of machinery could be made in the Dominion, and this statement he would not question. It would, however, have to be taken for granted that it was not made or this resolution, which he had the honor of seconding, would not be introduced.

Mr. Haslam was fully in sympathy with the resolution, but suggested that the Dominion government, in order to balance the concession made to the United States should request the American government to allow stone from British Columbia to enter the States free of duty.

Hon. Mr. Robson—Wouldn't lumber be better than stone?

Mr. Haslam replied that it might be, but the House had no idea of the magnitude of the quarrying industry of this province. If the export duty on stone was removed next summer would see 1,000 men employed in the quarries of this province; as it was 500 at least would be kept busy, and the market was entirely across the border.

Col. Baker endorsed the resolution; the removal of the import duty on mining machinery was of the greatest importance to the district which he had the honor to represent. They could not possibly introduce machinery profitably under the present condition of affairs; nor could suitable machinery of Canadian manufacture be obtained. If the duty were removed it would tend very materially to develop the Kootenay district and encourage capital to invest therein.

Mr. Grant supported the resolution. He was surprised that British Columbians had so long supported a government so manifestly unjust to one of the most important industries of the province as the Dominion Government had been in this matter. He did not think that Canadian made machinery filled the bill in British Columbia.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

COAL MINES ACT.

Mr. Haslam introduced a bill to amend the Coal Mines Regulations Act. Read a first time; second reading on Monday.

AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE.

On the report on the Agriculture and Horticulture Bill (Mr. Cunningham), several amendments were made by Mr. Ladner, and the adoption of the report was adjourned until the next sitting of the House.

ELECTIONS REGULATIONS.

The House went into committee, Mr. Cowan in the chair, upon the Elections Regulations Bill (Hon. Mr. Beaven). The committee rose, reporting progress.

Mr. Duck moved the second reading of his Elections Regulations Bill, providing that personal solicitations of candidates at elections be made illegal. He considered the practice objectionable to the electors and contrary to the principle of the Ballot Act. He did not anticipate that any trouble would arise from political opponents falsely accusing successful candidates of canvassing their votes. Candidates, as a rule, were as truthful and honorable as the generality of men, and he hoped that the bill would pass, thereby purifying elections.

Hon. Mr. Davie agreed with the principle of the bill proposed, but thought that the penalties provided were excessive. A fine was, he considered, fully sufficient, without the loss of the seat, in the case of the candidate personally soliciting; it certainly was fully sufficient in the case of agents violating the principle of the law.

Mr. Smith thought the proposed measure might do very well for the cities where newspapers were published and public meetings could conveniently be held; but it would not do for the districts. Soliciting a vote was a very indefinite term, by placing himself in nomination a candidate practically solicited the votes of the electors. If he wished to ask his constituents openly, face to face, for their votes it was their own affair; the right of free speech belonged to everyone. He (Mr. Smith) could not approve of the bill.

Hon Mr. Beaven said that he had attempted similar legislation before, but it had been decided as impracticable. He had always been in favor of stopping personal solicitation at elections. A man could say all that he had to say on the public platform or through the press. Hole and corner explanations of political principle were not wise or beneficial, and legislation that would put an end to this would be very acceptable to the great body of the electors. He would certainly support the principle of the bill.

Hon. Mr. Robson would also support the second reading of this bill. It was in the interest of morality and good government to put an end to personal solicitation at elections. As had been said by the hon. introducer of the bill, the present condition of affairs was diametrically opposed to the principle of the ballot act. For himself he could say that he had very generally avoided personal solicitation. He believed in the candidates expressing themselves publicly and in the presence of their opponents, and not carrying a separate tale to each elector. If everything in connection with elections were carried on openly and above board, it would be much more beneficial to responsible government. He could not see the force of the objection raised by the hon. member for Lillooet. It would certainly be easier for him to hold public meetings at different places in his district than to meet all of his constituents individually.

Mr. Ladner thought that the bill was introduced for the express benefit of those who had good voices and the gift of the gab. If passed it would be a dead letter in the statute book, as dead as the portion which required the publication of election expenses. He would oppose the bill.

Mr. Anderson endorsed the legislation proposed. Many a man now would not give his vote unless he was individually asked for it; such a man did not deserve a vote.

Mr. Orr supported the bill. He would like to see the bill go further and compel every elector to vote, and he would also favor legislation making it illegal for any man to promise the expenditure of public money if elected.

Mr. Martin thought every man had a right to vote or not vote just as he saw fit. He opposed the bill, which, if passed, would certainly be inoperative on the Mainland.

Mr. Cunningham would support the measure if it went to the full length of what was required to protect the ballot—made it illegal to promise votes by signing requisitions, which were published in the newspapers.

Hon. Mr. Turner remarked that there was considerable truth in what Mr. Ladner had said, the passage of this bill would give the eloquent ones a great advantage over their less fortunate opponents. He would support the second reading of the bill, however, although there were many things in it that he could scarcely approve. He could not see where the differance existed between asking a man for his vote, and writing to him with the same request as was allowed by the bill.

Col. Baker was opposed to the change proposed, as he did not think it would work fairly or satisfactorily.

Mr. Mason also said that he would vote against the second reading. He wanted information upon what constituted a public meeting. The spirit of the proposed law would certainly be violated if a candidate, finding two or three electors, called a public meeting and addressed them.

Mr. Semlin thought that the spirit of this act was in the right direction, but he did not consider that the measure would be at all workable. It would be difficult, indeed, to define a "public meeting." Supposing a candidate wrote to a gentleman living alone, or almost alone, in one portion of the district, that he would be at his place to hold a public meeting on a certain date, and on his arrival found the gentleman and his family alone, would that be a public meeting? He would like a definition.

Mr. Orr—Where ever two or three are gathered together.

Mr. Semlin concluded by saying that he would vote for the second reading, as he certainly approved of its principle.

The second reading was carried on a division of 13 to 7, and the bill sent into the same committee as Mr. Beaven's bill (No. 53), with Mr. Cowan chairman. The committee rose, reporting progress.

The House rose at 5:50 p.m.

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Victoria, B. C., March 1st, 1890. mc1

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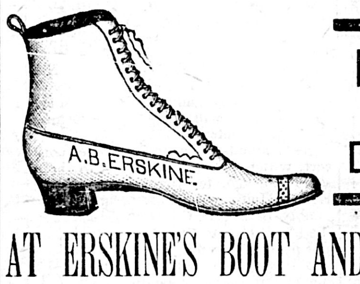

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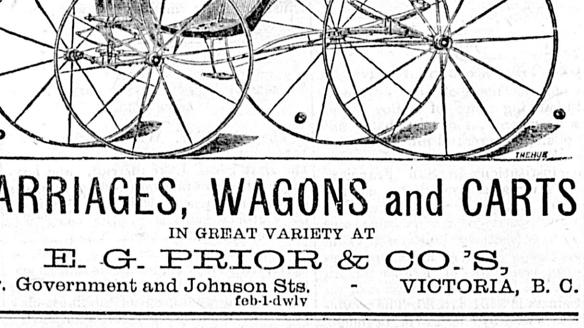

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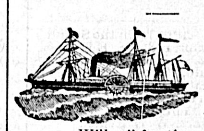

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CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

BR. BARQUE
GLENBERVIE,
Capt. Groundwater,
From Liverpool.

THIS VESSEL will discharge cargo at our wharf TO-DAY and following days.

Consignees are requested to present bills of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive delivery orders for their goods.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p. m. each day, and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of the consignees thereof, respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

R. P. RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of Vessel.
Victoria, 15th March, 1890. m16-1w

NOTICE.

BARQUE
GLENBERVIE.

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Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock, a. m.

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New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster Ladner's Land'g and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.)

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For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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Steamers leave New Westminster for CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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ENTERED.

March 19—Str. Islander, Vancouver.
" " North Pacific, Sound.
" " Rainbow, Nanaimo.
" Tug Lorne, Seeking.

CLEARED.

March 19—Str. Islander, Vancouver.
" " North Pacific, Sound.
" " Maude, Nanaimo.
" " Yosemite, Westminster.
" Brk Archer, Portland.
" Tug Lorne, Seeking.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str NORTH PACIFIC, from the Sound—Addie Drum, F Frahan, J Salshendt, H Westfall, D Bishop, N J Levinson, T Mumper, E Dudley, and wife, Mrs McConn, Georgie Douglas, F G Robb, A F Adams, F Barr, R Ellenwitz, Alex More, M S Baldwin, B Gordon, Chas B Guemil, H N Tubor, Ed North, J A Russell, W A Turgeon, P Hickey, E Gallana, E Noble, J Anderson, Eallier, W H Reynolds, B E Wright, H H Elingworth, G Farrington, J G Berger, J H Makepence and wife, Mrs Finney, S J Pitts, J Morgan, H Davis, G S Cleveland, Jas Hall, J Campbell, Thos Bebbington, E A Martin, A Hodnett, J Devereau,

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str NORTH PACIFIC, from the Sound—Henry Jewell, Turner B & Co, E E Blackwood, McLennan & McF, E G Prior, Simon Leiser, P McQuade, Thos Earle, A C Spaulding, R B McMicking, Victoria A Club, J Leger, E Prumberg, Mathews R & T, J H Todd & Co, Ying Chung L Co, J Cameron, H Saunders, W W Evans.

BIRTH.

JOHN—In this city, on the 16th inst., the wife of B. H. John, of a son.

MARRIED.

DRUMMOND—WARD—On the 19th instant at the Cathedral, by the Lord Bishop of Columbia, assisted by the Rev. Arthur Beanlands, M. G. Drummond, son of Percy Drummond, Late Scots Guards, of Ravenstone, Leicestershire, to Alice L., eldest daughter of W. C. Ward, of Highwood, Victoria.

DIED.

KENT—In this city, on the 19th inst., Hazel Gladys, infant daughter of Herbert and Georgie Kent, aged 10 months and 1 day.

WALKER—At her late residence, 35 Princess Ave., Victoria, B.C., on March 18th, Mary Jane, beloved wife of Richard Walker, aged 21 years.

The funeral will take place to-day (Thursday) at 2.30 p. m., from her late residence, and from the Pandora street Presbyterian church half an hour later. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

WANTED,

2,000 lots of ladies' and gents' new and cast-off clothing, by April 25th. N. POINTER, No. 85 Johnson street, corner of Broad.

The "Queen" brand of hams and bacon, cut from Iowa corn-fed hogs, cured in granulated sugar and smoked with corn cobs, specially for those who can appreciate a good article. Ask your grocer for "Queen" brand. martlf

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LITTLE LOCALS.

Perfection Cake and Pie Tins at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

Monogram and visiting cards engraved at the THE COLONIST office.

The proposal to form a company of kilted soldiers in this city has fallen through.

Stationery at Daley's, 91 Douglas St. *

Three more cases of fine bird cages at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St. *

At Government House to-morrow evening the Lieutenant-Governor will give the fourth state dinner of the session.

Shaker Flour Sifters at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

Porcelain Cereal and Fruit steamers, all sizes, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

The Islander did not leave Vancouver until 10 o'clock last night, being forced to wait for a delayed train.

The Chinese wash house recently burned on Blanchard street is being replaced by an equally discreditable wooden structure.

To keep the house warm use the Champion Weather Strip, for sale by J. P. Burgess, No. 10 Broughton street.

For Sheffield razors pocket knives, scissors, table cutlery, etc., go to M. & H. A. Fox, 78 Government street.

Work in the second degree was transacted at the regular communication of Vancouver-Quadra Lodge, A. F. and A. M., last evening.

Stoves, tinware and house furnishing goods at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

A fine lot of all kinds of brushes, dusters, whisks, brooms, mops, etc., at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

Take your misfitting suits to the "Victoria Tailoring and Dyeing Establishment," there they can be made to fit you at a small cost. Jno. T. Pierre, prop., 96 Yates street.

Four of Mr. John Weiler's men have struck for a reduction in working hours, which the majority of the hands went out for a few months ago. Their places have been filled.

If you are intending going East, make a note of the C. P. R. excursions and specially fitted colonist sleepers. First-class travel at second-class rates. Robt. Irving, agent. tf

A large number of tickets have been sold for the social dance to be given by the B. C. Association for the Investigation of Spiritualism, in Harmony Hall next Wednesday evening, and all who attend are assured of having a good time.

Miss McLaughlin, trained nurse, has removed her residence to No. 52 Quebec St. Any orders directed to that address or left at Kellogg's drug store, cor. Douglas and Yates streets, will receive prompt attention tfw

The finest line of perfumes, toilet sets and fancy soaps, etc., is to be had at John Teague, jr.'s drug store, Poodle Dog block, Yates street. Prescriptions carefully compounded at any hour of the day or night. Telephone call 469.

Mr. R. J. Kirkwood, of Illecillewaet, B. C., who was the winner of the Mason & Risch piano, presented as a premium by THE COLONIST, has forwarded to Master Richard Drake a cheque for $10, the lad having drawn the winning number.

Advertising does pay and send your orders for coal to Central Coal office, 90½ Government street. Telephone call, No. 171. A. HEATHORN.

The police court room was empty and deserted yesterday morning for the first time in weeks, and the crowd who daily find strange pleasure in listening to the disclosures there made of their neighbors' misfortunes, turned sadly away with disappointment depicted on their faces.

The steamer North Pacific, from Puget Sound, brought six carloads of cargo last evening, made up as follows: One carload of furniture; one of English dry goods for Turner, Beeton & Co.; one of baking powder, one of horses for J. Cameron, one of hogs and one of mixed merchandise.

Acknowledgments for the handsome bird's-eye views of Victoria, sent out a few weeks ago, are already pouring in to the city council, proving conclusively the attention such an attractive advertisement commands and receives, and also showing that the city would be acting wisely in procuring and circulating a second supply of a few thousands.

CUTTING prices on furniture seems to be the order of the day. Not wishing to be outdone by anybody, JACOB SEHL has decided to enter the cutting field and cut down prices 10 per cent. lower than any other firm, on the largest and best assorted stock in the province, of furniture, carpets, linoleum, matting, window blinds, crockery, glassware, lamps, etc. Call and convince yourself at Nos. 66 and 68 Government street.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

The Largest Stock.

Of prints, the best quality and the lowest prices at Russell McDonald & Co., 134, opposite the Iron Church, Douglas street.

A New Club.

A syndicate of young men is being formed in this city for the purpose of taking over the furniture of the St. Joseph's society, and forming a club for young men. If they are successful in buying out the society they intend to fit up a hall with billiard tables and every convenience for amusement, and make their rooms a place where an enjoyable evening can be spent.

Battery Offenders.

Hall, the bandsman of "C" battery, who was arrested several weeks ago charged with stealing instruments belonging to the band, has been tried by a military court and sentenced to forty-two days' imprisonment. Hindman, the other bandsman who is under arrest charged with desertion, is still awaiting the arrival of necessary papers from Ottawa in connection with his trial.

Election of Officers Y. M. I.

At the regular meeting of Young Men's Institute No. 85, held last evening in Temperance Hall, the following officers were elected: F. H. Lang, president; Geo. Tribe, first vice-president; D. Nowlan, second vice-president; Henry McDowell, marshal. The Institute will celebrate their second anniversary on May 4th next by holding a grand concert.

On Short Allowance.

A despatch from San Francisco states that Messrs. Hall & Goepel's new sealing schooner Ocean Belle, 83 tons, Capt. O'Leary, which left Halifax on November 12th, 1889, for this port, has put in to San Francisco in distress, her supply of provisions and water having been exhausted several days ago, since which time her crew have been obliged to subsist on short allowance.

C. P. R. Victoria Agency.

It is understood that Mr. H. Connon will not take the position of Victoria agent of the C. P. R. For the past fortnight Mr. Al. Cameron, of Vancouver, has been filling the post most acceptably to Victoria consignees, and the railway company would make an excellent choice in appointing him as their Victoria representative. He possesses all the qualifications necessary for the position.

At Last.

After innumerable vexatious delays there is a prospect of the fire alarms being put in operation at once. The city council last evening decided to advance the sum demanded by the customs, deducting the same from the contract price. Mr. McMicking, the contractor, is agreeable to, in fact suggested, this arrangement, and he will to-day secure the release of the boxes and proceed with the work of putting them in position. All the wires are already strung.

Along the Docks.

Bark Archer was towed to sea by the tug Lorne yesterday.

Bark Malay leaves on Tuesday for Shanghai with a cargo of lumber.

Steamer Maude left for Nanaimo yesterday to load coal.

Tug Pilot is tied up alongside the Alexander in the stream.

Tug Hope, which has had her bottom fixed, is at work again.

Steamer Emma brought in two scows of lumber on Monday and left for Saanich to bring down a load of lime.

Steamer Walla Walla sails for San Francisco at 11 o'clock this morning.

Nothing more has been heard of the sloop that was reported bottom up off Ten Mile Point.

Bark Bundaleer Ashore.

News was received in this city last evening that the Chilian bark Bundaleer had gone ashore at Dungeness. The bark has on board a cargo of 1,436 tons of East Wellington coal, and was being towed to sea by the American tug Sea Lion, bound for San Francisco. The bark left Nanaimo on Tuesday and went ashore the same evening. A Port Townsend paper says: The tide was full at the time she ran aground, and it is feared she will not be gotten off easily. Two tugs were despatched to get the unfortunate vessel off the spit, if it is found possible to do so. If a strong breeze should spring up the Bundaleer will be in danger of going to pieces before she can be floated.

He Has Disappeared.

The police have been communicated with by the friends of H. Meiss, a rather eccentric man, who for some time past has been proprietor of a small second hand store on Store street, and who has not been seen since Friday last. It is stated that Meiss was subject to fits of temporary insanity, and it is feared that some harm may have happened to him on one of those occasions when his mental balance was disturbed. For years past he has lived in abject poverty, not because he had no money, but it was currently believed because he was a confirmed miser. A search was made of his premises yesterday, but no clue to his present whereabouts, nor any valuables, were unearthed.

Appreciated.

The following are sample letters of those received by the Mayor and Council in acknowledging complimentary copies of the handsome bird's-eye views of Victoria, recently published by THE COLONIST:

OTTAWA, March 10.

I have the honor to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the large and handsome sketch of your beautiful city, which it is needless to say I very much appreciate. Yours truly

(Signed) JNO. J. D. THOMPSON, Minister of Justice.

OTTAWA, March 11.

I am in receipt of an excellent bird's-eye view of your pretty city, for which accept my best thanks. Yours, etc.,

(Signed) M. BOWELL, Minister of Customs.

A San Francisco Bank Failure.

The announcement of the failure of the old banking house of Belloc & Co., in San Francisco, for nearly half a million dollars, has created much surprise. Belloc Freres was one of the oldest banking institutions in San Francisco, and was always supposed to conduct business on a very conservative basis. The large majority of its patrons were mere term depositors, belonging to the French colony. There are also a large number of residents of France among the creditors. The exact amount of the indebtedness is $491,476.85. The trouble has been caused by the Paris branch of the bank, which owes large sums to the San Francisco house. Remittances which were expected from Paris to meet obligations in San Francisco failed to arrive, and the bank being unable to meet certain demands was forced to suspend.

The Route Unchanged.

Definite information has at last been received to the effect that though the new steamer City of Kingston may make a few trips to Anacortes, her regular route, which will be entered upon early next week, will be between Tacoma, Seattle, Port Townsend and Victoria. Capt. Roberts, of the Olympian, one of the most deservedly popular and thoroughly competent commanders that ever brought a steamer into this port, has been appointed to the command of the new steamer, and takes with him his old first officer, Mr. Dickson. It is expected that Capt. Anderson, of the North Pacific, will receive the Olympian, and Capt. Green, of the Sehome, will be promoted to the North Pacific. Capt. Roberts severed his connection with his old steamer last evening, and will at once take charge of his new boat, running her first to Anacortes on a few trial trips. It is whispered that the intention is to place him in command of the City of Seattle on her appearance, Mr. Dickson being promoted to the charge of the Kingston.

Sol Smith Russell.

The amusement loving public will hail with pleasure the announcement that the inimitable Sol Smith Russell, the prince of America's eccentric comedians, will appear with his own specially selected company at The Victoria on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week. Mr. Russell has just closed a highly successful engagement in San Francisco, and Victoria will be one of a very few cities that he will visit before returning East.

Still They Come.

Messrs. Colbert & Warner, plumbers, Yates street, have decided to at once proceed with the erection of a brick building on the site of their present premises, adjoining the Brunswick hotel; the new establishment being found necessary to meet the growing requirements of their business. It is also contemplated by Mr. Galpin, who owns the vacant lot on the other side of the Vancouver house, to build at an early date. His rent roll in this city is already a large one.

Plans of the Great Northern.

A Spokane Falls despatch says: "Vice-President Clough and Engineer, Becker, of the Great Northern, in an interview said that nothing has been decided upon on that road, except that the road will build from some point in Montana to Seattle via Spokane Falls. It has not purchased or negotiated for the purchase of the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern, and will not until the route, from Spokane Falls west, has been definitely settled. When the road is completed to the Sound, a line of steamers will be put on from Seattle to China, to compete with the Northern Pacific's new project in that direction. Rails and material for the extension of the Great Northern have been purchased, and the road will be pushed to completion as soon as the route is definitely settled.

Street Cars a Public Boon.

Owing to the convenience afforded by the new street cars, the undersigned have decided to reduce their prices for city tuning.

Single tuning $2.50, four times a year $8.00.

FROM OUR FAVORITE BARITONE.

Dear Sir,—The piano bought from you a year ago for the Young People's Association of the First Presbyterian Church, has given satisfaction in every way. The test has been a severe one, the instrument having been in the school-room subjected to all kinds of temperature with only a cloth cover. The organist, Miss Stephen, as well as the various instrumentalists who have used it are united in praising its action and tone. I can only add that I enjoy singing a song, when the accompaniment is played on a "Goodwin.

Yours faithfully, JOHN G. BROWN, Choirmaster First Presbyterian Church, Victoria.

I have much pleasure, after thoroughly trying the Goodwin & Jordan pianos, in testifying to their excellence, pureness of tone and smoothness of touch, the latter reminding me of the best concert grands manufactured in England and America, and for an upright piano I consider the Goodwin & Jordan one of the best I have met with during my extended travels.

Yours truly, ADA HEINE.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 7, 1889.

The above testimonials and several others may be seen at the factory, corner of Fort and Broad streets.

Telephone 98. GOODWIN & Co.

NEWSY NOTES

Of the Work of the Y. M. C. A.—A Flourishing Organization.

Thirty-five new members have been enrolled since the opening of the new rooms by the Y. M. C. A.

At the convention recently held in Vancouver the Pacific Northwest was divided into districts, each of which was authorized to hold conventions at stated intervals. The first meeting of the British Columbia district will be held at New Westminster on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th of this month. Victoria will be represented by Messrs. F. W. Teague (general secretary), E. A. Lewis, Wm. Jessop and J. A. Macpherson. Nanaimo will also be represented by a delegation of five, and an association for the Coal City will probably be formed during the conference.

Next Monday evening a flower concert, which it was intended to hold some time ago, for the benefit of the Refuge Home, will be given in the Assembly hall. The entertainment is in the hands of the friends of the home, and promises well.

One of the most successful branches of the Y. M. C. A. work in this city is that connected with the gymnasium. The classes are well attended and systematic body-building, according to Prof. Roberts' methods, is carried on under the direction of Mr. Teague. On entering the gymnasium class every man is measured,—height, neck, shoulder, chest, etc.,—and the parts that are not up to the standard of size and strength receive special attention. The Roberts system is conducted upon the principle that every feature of the body-building or gymnasium work must be "safe, short, easy, beneficial and pleasing."

Mr. Norman Carmichael has been secured as assistant secretary for the Victoria Association.

A first-class rowing club is in formation by members of the association, and several good crews, notably a four-oared one, will be put on the Arm this summer.

Mr. J. G. Brown is making arrangements for a fine concert, to be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, in about two months. The proceeds will be devoted to their furnishing fund.

The sectarial institute has secured 25 acres of land, finely located, on Vashon island, where summer sessions, similar to the Chautauguan meetings, will be held.

The next "talk" will be given Wednesday evening, April 9, by Mr. Alex. M. Muir, on "How buildings are made," illustrated by models, drawings and photographs.

AN IMPORTANT SALE.

Wilson Brown's "Alderney Farm" of 700 Acres Sold.

The sale of Mr. Wilson Brown's estate known as the Alderney farm, on the East Road, Lake district, and having a large frontage on Cordova Bay, was effected on Tuesday last to a syndicate of Victoria gentlemen, the consideration being about $60,000. The property in question comprises some very fine agricultural and timber lands and is watered by two streams. But its chief value is a large deposit of the finest clay yet discovered on the coast. Samples of the clay have been sent to San Francisco for test and it is there pronounced superior for brick and pottery purposes to the renowned Philadelphia clay. All classes of pottery can be manufactured from the Alderney clay. Mr. Brown, who is a clever artist, made a shapely bust of a female from this clay, proving that it is adapted for art purposes. The intention of the purchasers is to form a company, having large capital, to extensively enter into the manufacture of pottery, drain pipes, tiles, pressed brick, etc.

The two streams which pass through the land provide ample water for all purposes. A couple of mining engineers, who made a report on the property, state that there are indications of a deposit of tin. An effort will at once be made to find if a body of this valuable ore does exist.

Our new spring stock of carpets is daily arriving. Some beautiful Japanese art squares and rugs just opened at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street.

Easter Cards, at T. N. HIBBEN & Co's.

MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

Considerable Business Transacted by the Aldermanic Board Last Evening.

Mayor Wheelright, of Tacoma, occupied the seat of honor at the mayor's right hand last evening, when the city council met for the transaction of municipal business, with all members present.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received from:

Drake, Jackson & Helmcken—Informing the council that Mr. George Moore had placed in their hands an account of $859 against Contractor Ross, who was engaged on the work of building the City Hall addition; and requesting the Board to pay no further money to the said contractor until the claim was adjusted. Referred to the hall committee.

Drake, Jackson & Helmcken—On behalf of Mr. Justice Crease, cautioning the city against interfering with drains upon his premises. Referred to street committee.

C. T. Penwill—Requesting permission to connect with the Johnson street sewer. Referred to committee for action.

R. Wolfenden, for the Board of School Trustees—Directing attention to the agreement between the council and the board in reference to the widening of upper View street, and asking that its provisions be carried out. Referred to the special committee re. opening of School street, for report.

Bourchier, Croft & Mallette—asking if the lots owned by the corporation on Ontario, St. Lawrence, and Oswego streets were for sale. The clerk was instructed to reply in the negative.

Colbert & Warner—asking for building permit for work on Yates street. Granted.

Julius Barron—complaining of the bad sanitary condition of Yates street, near his property, adjoining the Clarence Hotel. Referred to committee.

H. I. Williams & Co.—in respect to supplying the city with their superior slate flagging and curbs. Referred to the street committee.

J. G. Mann—suggesting a sewerage scheme upon the separate system; and accompanying his explanation of his plan with drawings, etc. Referred to the sewerage committee.

R. B. McMicking—stating that the fire alarm apparatus was now held for $2,282; and asking if the city would advance this sum, deducting it from the contract price. On motion it was decided to advance the sum as desired.

The City Clerk of Ottawa—acknowledging four copies of the bird's-eye view of Victoria. Filed.

Wm. Newberry—Complaining of the bad sanitary condition of South Turner street. Referred to committee.

John Holland—enclosing copies of a pamphlet on tax exemptions. Filed.

John Creed—asking for an increase in the wages attached to the position of caretaker of the City Hall. It was explained that the present salary was $20 per month, but it would be increased when the enlargements now under way were completed.

The Council of Cornwall, Ont.—acknowledging the receipt of a splendid picture of Victoria. Filed.

The Minister of Customs—containing a similar acknowledgment. Filed.

The Minister of Justice—to the same effect. Filed.

Joseph W. Carey—re. his claim in the Colquitz water rights case. Referred to the water committee and city barristers.

Eberts & Taylor—regarding a conference between Mr. Carey and the water commissioner. Referred to the committee and commissioner.

Eberts & Taylor—enclosing agreement between the corporation and Mrs. Archibald, for execution and return. Referred to the special committee appointed in re. School street opening.

A. V. Bossi—In reference to the removal of a piece of sidewalk near his residence. Referred to committee.

Wm. Atkin—Pressing his claim for $7, at which he estimated the damage done to his fence by corporation workmen some time ago. Ordered paid.

California Electric Works—Asking for information as to how the fire alarm difficulty had been adjusted. Referred to the fire wardens.

The City Clerk of Westminster—Enclosing thanks for the use of the Deluge fire engine. Filed.

Department of Militia and Defence—Acknowledging receipt of communication in re. the powder magazine at Beacon Hill. On motion the mayor was instructed to communicate with Messrs. Prior and Earle, by telegraph, requesting them to press this matter upon the Minister of Militia and Defence.

PETITIONS.

From J. Wilson and others—in reference to securing city water service. Referred to the water committee and commissioner.

From residents of Spring Ridge—asking for water service. The clerk was instructed to inform the petitioners that a main would shortly be laid along Fernwood road, which would supply their wants.

M. Foster, and other residents of David street—asking that David street be put in proper condition and graded. Referred to committee.

A REPORT.

From the street committee as follows:

CITY HALL, VICTORIA, March 10, 1890.

To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—Your committee beg leave to report that the grading of Young street was recommended on the 27th April, 1887. Streets width by-law was passed on the 12th October, 1887.

That Mr. J. H. McLaughlin be paid the sum of $20 as remuneration for damages to his property on Fernwood Road.

Your committee would recommend that the petition of J. Turner be granted, the sidewalk removed and the site graded.

That Mr. H. B. Young be informed that there was no necessity to ask for right-of-way at foot of Menzies street, as the street extends to high water mark.

In re. petition for sidewalk on Market street, your committee would recommend that the sidewalk which crosses the end of Market street on Douglas street be taken up and relaid on the north side of Market street; that a three plank sidewalk be laid on the south side for a distance of about 150 feet, and that the usual gravel crossing be laid on Douglas street.

That in addition to tightening the tension rods of James Bay bridge, four additional struts be placed between the laminated arch and upper chord in each bent, and that all tie rods be examined and, if necessary, tightened, cost not to exceed $260.

That Pleasant street be made passable.

Your committee have the honor to be, gentlemen,

Your obedient servants,

Signed, LOUIS VIGELIUS, J. B. HARRISON, J. HOLLAND.

Adopted.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Ald. Goodacre gave notice of his intention to introduce a by-law dealing with the sale of property upon which taxes were in arrears.

STREET GRADING.

Moved by Ald. Holland, seconded by Ald. Harrison, "that the city surveyor make no improvements on streets where there is any cutting or grading to be done, although the same may have been ordered done by the council, without first having obtained the signatures of the property owners where such improvements are proposed to a document indemnifying the city against any claim they may consider they have for damages done thereby."

Ald. Wilson—That resolution has the right ring.

The motion carried.

WATER RATES REDUCED.

Ald. Smith and Robertson moved: "It having been considered advisable to reduce the price of water to manufacturers using steam power; therefore be it resolved that a rebate of 33⅓ per cent. be allowed to all parties coming under this head, doing business within the limits of the city." Carried.

A DANGEROUS PIT.

Ald. Kelly called attention to a pit, filled with water and thereby rendered dangerous to the lives of passing school children, upon a lot owned by the Dunsmuir estate, on Yates street.

On motion the clerk was instructed to write Mrs. Dunsmuir, asking that the lot be protected by the erection of a fence.

THAT LIBRARY DIFFICULTY.

Ald. McKillican verbally reported that the library committee had investigated the complaint against the librarian, Mr. McGregor, and completely exonerated that gentleman.

NECESSARY FORMS.

On motion the city barristers were requested to prepare the necessary forms to be signed by property owners wishing to have street grading done; the same to be printed.

SANITARY.

Ald. Wilson said that he had received other complaints in regard to the dumping of offensive rubbish over the bank along the Dallas Road.

Ald. Smith remarked that between 11 and 12 o'clock every night the scavengers passed his place with their carts, going in the direction of Beacon Hill park. He did not know where they were going.

Ald. McKillican stated that he had had a conversation with Mr. Sorby in reference to a garbage crematory, and advised that the city clerk communicate with the city surveyor of Montreal, and from him procure the cost of construction and operation of such a crematory. The suggestion was acted upon.

WATER PIPES.

Ald. McKillican moved, seconded by Ald. Goodacre, that the city procure the 50 tons of water pipes now obtainable in this city, and extend the service up Fort street in the direction of Fernwood.

Ald. Smith thought the supply obtainable was entirely inadequate for the work, nor did he think the city could afford to go into the matter referred to at present. He moved in amendment that the water committee be given one week to present a report on this subject.

Ald. McKillican said that if the purchase of the pipe was delayed, Vancouver would probably gobble them up.

Ald. Kelly remarked that iron was rising, and now was the time to buy.

The amendment was lost on a tie, and the original motion carried on the following division:

Yeas—Ald. McKillican, Holland, Kelly and Goodacre, and Mayor Grant.

Nays—Ald. Vigelius, Smith, Wilson and Harrison.

The council adjourned.

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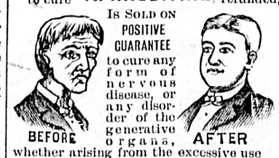

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